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THE DEMOCRATIC ORGANIZATION.

As the time for the re-organization of the Democratic State Committee approaches, public interest in the subject multiplies. A short time ago but few names were mentioned in connection with the chairmanship and those were mostly of Democrats whose connection with the Quay lobby in Harrisburg rendered them unfit to represent the party. But within the past week names of other men have been brought forward from all parts of the State.

The hope of our party, says the *Bellefonte Watchman*, is in commanding the confidence of the masses of the people and arousing the hopes of the Democrats. Both these results can be achieved by organizing the party committee on the highest plane, thus giving the public substantial assurance that the party deserves success and having acquired it will not sell it to the enemy for the consideration of patronage or money. The selection of a man of the highest character for chairman will accomplish this result.

We have a great deal of pleasure in endorsing this view of the *Watchman's*. The Democratic party in Pennsylvania, as well as in each of the counties of the State, needs such a management as will inspire confidence and arouse the interest of the Democratic people. State Chairman Rilling, who now retires, has done a good work and has sought to bring our party back into its old standing in this State. He has succeeded as well as the circumstances permitted, and the selection of a man like him as his successor will continue the work he began.

Treachery within the ranks has done the party much harm lately, but the general management has vastly improved during the last few years. We believe that the indications are such as to point to a renewal of Democratic strength in Pennsylvania, the question depending much on the selection of a Chairman.

ARBOR DAYS.

The requirements of the Arbor Day law must be met as well in years when the calendar outruns spring weather as when both travel together. This made it necessary for Governor Stone to name two arbor days by proclamation, which he has done, designating April 12 and 26 as the days for tree-planting and other Arbor Day exercises.

In his proclamation the Governor properly calls attention to the establishment of forest reservations as an evidence of the interest the Legislature and executive departments are taking in the preservation and extension of our forest area. He supplements this with the statement that natural forces are not alone sufficient for this work, and asks all the citizens, young and old, to lend a helping hand by planting trees and engaging in exercises intended to impress especially upon the rising generation the importance of forests and forestry to the welfare of the Commonwealth.

Trees should be planted on a large scale and the children of the schools should be impressed with the value and necessity of universal tree-planting.—*Phila. Times.*

COSTLY IMPERIALISM.

The following is from Wm. J. Bryan's *Commoner*:

What have we accomplished by our pegging away in the Philippines? We have violated our purest traditions; we have lost the confidence of the freemen of the world; we have abdicated our place at the head of the forces of liberty; we have lost our self-respect; we have spent millions of treasure and sacrificed thousands of precious lives.

The latest estimate of our expenditures in blood and money in the Philippines is as follows:

Expenditures on account of military operations in the islands, $173,560,000. Paid to Spain under treaty of Paris, $20,000,000. Paid to Spain for Caragan and Sibutu, $100,000. Interest on war loan since June 30, 1899, $5,423,000. Philippine Commissioners and miscellaneous, $500,000. Total cost in money, $29,2,583,000.

Army lost in killed and deaths from wounds: Officers, 54; enlisted men, 836. Navy lost in killed and deaths from wounds: Officers, 2; enlisted men, 16. Deaths from disease: Officers, 48; enlisted men, 2,072. Total cost in lives 3,028.

DURING THE LAST FEW MONTHS we have been sending out bills to a number of our subscribers who are indebted to us, and we take this occasion to thank those who have responded. As it requires considerable time, however, to go over 2600 accounts we have not as yet gotten over our whole list. We would be glad if those owing us will settle without receiving a bill as there are quite a number of accounts on our books several years old which need settlement.

NATIONAL Committeemen J. M. Guffey and J. T. Rilling, of the Pennsylvania State Democratic Committee, conferred with Senator Quay at the latter's residence in Washington Saturday afternoon on the general subject of a new Election law for the Keystone State.

The two Democrats and the Republican Senator were together several hours. At the close of the discussion Mr. Quay said that he could not wholly approve any particular measure now under consideration; that he was in favor of some reform along the lines of the Australian ballot; that his callers agreed with him as to the need of such a reform, and that before he could answer any questions categorically he would have to wait until he had conferred further with Pennsylvania politicians.

REFERRING to the Democratic traitors in both Houses of the Legislature who have betrayed their party and the public cause by supporting the "ripper" bills of the Machine, the Lancaster County Democratic Convention adopted resolutions denouncing the "traitorous crew" and protesting against the election of any State chairman who may be supported by them.

SENATOR HEINLE, of Centre, was informally indorsed last Wednesday by all his fellow-Democrats of the Senate for chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

TO TAX BACHELORS.

The following looks much like a joke; still it "goes" in some of the newspapers as news:

A movement has been started among the women of Western and Central Pennsylvania to induce Representative Jeremiah Roth, of Lehigh county, to reintroduce the bill he offered in the Legislature on the 23d of March and subsequently withdrew. The measure was of particular concern to the bachelors of Pennsylvania.

It was entitled "an act to encourage matrimony," and its provisions included one requiring a fee of $100 from all applicants for a marriage license who have passed the age of 40 years. In order to circumvent possible attempts of tardy bridegrooms to avoid the impost by going out of the State to get married, the bill required the $100 fee to be paid upon his return to make the marriage valid.

The money collected from this source was to go towards the establishment of homes for "ladies over 30 years of age," who have not had the chance to marry on account of the recalcitrancy of the men. The act could not be repealed without the consent of the inmates of these "ladies' homes."

FARMERS' ASSOCIATION.

Last Meeting of the Season—Subjects Discussed.

The Adams County Farmers' Association held its last meeting for the season in the Court-room on Saturday.

"The relative advantages of wheat and rye as farm crops," was discussed by Messrs. Aaron Sheely, Cyrus Griest, C. E. Goldsboro, D. F. Forney, W. M. Bigham, W. H. Wintrode and P. L. Houck. Most of the speakers were of the opinion that if the grain were fed to stock and the straw made into manure, rye would prove as profitable as wheat and the chances for a set of grass would be just as good.

Mr. W. M. Bigham spoke on "Poultry." He thought there was profit in keeping chickens for egg production if the proper care was taken of them. He has four or five hundred on his farm and sells the eggs direct to consumers in the city He keeps the single-combed brown and white Leghorns.

Mr. Wm. Heyser spoke on "Musk Melons or Cantaloupes." He said they could be raised profitably if planted in suitable ground. He drills seed fifteen inches apart in rows six feet apart; applies barn yard manure and six or eight hundred pounds of commercial fertilizer per acre. Melons require a great deal of time and attention. An ordinary crop will give one hundred dollars per acre clear.

Mr. Messrs. D. F. Forney, Wm. Heyser and P. L. Houck discussed the "Culture of Indian Corn." They spoke favorably of the flint variety for late planting or when one wants a crop to mature in ninety or a hundred days.

On the subject, "Are Holsteins More Profitable than Jerseys," Messrs. D. F. Forney and H. D. Bream upheld the Holstein breed as being better adopted to the uses of the general farmer.

Mr. Aaron Sheely read a well prepared paper on "The Future of Farming." Messrs. D. F. Forney and P. L. Houck made a few remarks on the paper, heartily endorsing the writer's views.

Association adjourned to meet at the call of the Executive Committee.

CARLISLE PRESBYTERY.

The Spring Session Held in Shippensburg Last Week.

The Carlisle Presbytery held its spring session in the Presbyterian church, Shippensburg, last week, commencing Tuesday afternoon, the session of that day being devoted to the examination of applicants for the ministry.

Among the list of successful applicants we notice the name of James A. McAllister, son of Hon. and Mrs. Theodore McAllister, of this place, who will graduate from Princeton Theological Seminary this year.

The retiring moderator, Rev. D. W. Woods, of Gettysburg, preached the evening sermon, after which Rev. William McNally, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, Harrisburg, Pa., was chosen moderator and took the chair.

At Wednesday's session these commissioners to the general assembly to be held in Philadelphia in May were elected: Rev. Dr. Ebenezer Erskine, of Newville; Rev. William McNally, of Harrisburg; Elders, H. E. Henderson, of Carlisle, and John McPherson, of Shippensburg. The alternates are Revs. Harry B. King, of Harrisburg; Craig B. Cross, of Lebanon; Elders, Hugh Craig, of Welsh Run, and W. D. Davidson, of Greencastle. It is expected that the commissioners chosen will be opposed to creed revision, as the recent meeting of presbytery went on record against revision by a vote of 45 to 20. The commissioners chosen represent the conservative element of the body.

The report of the committee on church visitation, presented by Rev. J. G. Rose, of Mercersburg, recommended that the custom be discontinued and the committee discharged. The sentiment on the matter being divided, the report was referred to a committee, which is to report at the fall meeting of the presbytery, to be held at Steelton, Pa., on the third Tuesday of next September.

Rev. Harry B. King, of Harrisburg, was chosen moderator for the fall session.

GENERAL NEWS.

Judge Bittenger, of York, last week announced that he wanted to know how much commission County Treasurer Tompson received for transferring $70,726.96 of county funds to the Court House building fund. If no satisfactory answer is received the Court will refuse to approve the county statement. He also wanted to know why ex-County Treasurer Bush was allowed $765.98 extra.

Christian F. Knapp, the "Father of Masonry," as he was known throughout the United States, and particularly in Pennsylvania, died at his home in Bloomsburg last Thursday. He was the organizer of so many Masonic lodges that for years he has been everywhere known as the "Father of Masonry." During his lifetime he held practically every office within the gift of that organization. During the years of 1879 and 1880 he was Grand Master of the United States.

Recently the Assistant State Veterinarian of Maryland visited the farm of George P. Wentz, near Melrose, Carroll county and ordered a flock of eighteen sheep killed. The sheep were affected with a contagious disease similar to "scab." Many of them had lost all their wool and died a few days before. A few days before this he ordered killed a flock of 57 belonging to J. A. Fredericks, near Miller's, Carroll county, which was affected with the same disease.

For fishing in a trout stream with a dip net Geo. Walter, of Easton, was fined $100 recently.

Jacob Bowers, of York county, found the following notice upon the door of his barn: "Your barn will be burned down before the first of June. Please keep an eye on your cattle." Mr. Bowers, as well as the farmers in the vicinity, are greatly alarmed.

A big fire broke out at Williams Grove, near Carlisle Thursday afternoon, where the annual Interstate Grangers' Exhibition is held. The large hotel and seven other buildings, including the large central pavilion, were destroyed. The origin is supposed to be incendiary.

The freight business over the Philadelphia and Reading and Western Maryland railroads between Hagerstown and Harrisburg has become so heavy that Lebanon Valley train crews have been pressed into service. The trains going through Hagerstown for three days have averaged 55 per day.

A deed dated 1769, which has almost fallen to pieces from age, has turned up in Pittsburg. Its discovery will clear the title to valuable property in Bedford county. For fifty years the whereabouts of the document were unknown. The deed was executed by John Elliott, and it conveyed to Daniel Elliott 231 acres of farm land "in the county of Cumberland, province of Pennsylvania, for and in consideration of £20, Pennsylvania currency." It is acknowledged before Dorsey Pentecost, "one of his Majesty's Justices in and for the county of Bedford," May 20, 1772.

A conference of prominent politicians was held at the residence of ex-Lieut. Gov. Chauncey F. Black at York on Friday. Among those present were Judge James Gay Gordon, Edward A. Van Valkenburg, A. L. Harris and H. A. Mackie, of Philadelphia, and D. A. Orr, of Harrisburg. The *Daily* says Governor Black announces that the gentleman called merely on business and pleasure, but there are those who believe the State Chairmanship and ballot reform were discussed.

A Rome dispatch of a recent date says: The city of the pontiffs awaits with deep interest the secret consistory for the creation of new cardinals to be held Monday, April 15. To the public consistory at which the new cardinals who are in Rome will receive the red hat will be held Thursday, April 18. The peculiar significance that attaches to the dignity of cardinal may be understood if it be remembered that, though it is the Pope who elects the cardinals, it is the cardinals who in their turn elect the Pope.

A statement setting forth the origin and extent of immigration at the port of Havana, Cuba, for the last half of the calendar year of 1900 was made public by direction of insular affairs of the war department Saturday. The total number of immigrants arriving at that port during the period named was 14,578.

DEMOCRATIC STATE COMMITTEE.

Among the business to be transacted by the Democratic State Convention in Philadelphia to-morrow will be the selection of a State Chairman.

The proposition to make Senator William C. Heinle, of Centre, State Chairman has been informally indorsed by all his fellow-Democratic Senators. In his own county Heinle has demonstrated great executive ability as a party manager. It is admitted on all sides that there is not in the Legislature a Democrat who could approach more closely than Heinle to harmonizing the factions of his party.

On the choice of a chairman may largely depend the degree of cohesion of the Democratic legislators on ballot reform, apportionment, the new Capitol question and other important matters.

GROWTH OF THE M. E. CHURCH.

The report of the Statistical Secretary of the Central Pennsylvania Methodist Episcopal conference shows there were contributed for missions in the conference during the past year $48,220; for pastoral support $239,812; paid on indebtedness, $67,541. There are 614 churches valued at $2,830,223; 195 parsonages valved at $463,100.

During the year 2,407 infants were baptized and 1,385 adults. There are 83,707 full members and 5,717 probationers, making a total membership of 69,424.

There are 619 Sunday schools with 7,069 scholars.

During the past year the Methodist ministers contributed to the annuity fund $30,750 and the laymen are expected to contribute $50 000.

FROM BENDERSVILLE.

APRIL 15.—A large number of our citizens met in the Odd Fellows' Hall last Thursday night for the purpose of organizing a fire company. The following is a list of the officers: Pres., E. C. Blocher; vice-president, Waybright Rice; secretary, D. F. Delap; treasurer, E. E. Carson; chief of fire company, Preston Peters; asst. chiefs, E. W. Sowers, W. D. Peneyt and Edw. Back; hosemen and nozzlemen, Robert Garretson, Chas. Rice, Ben. Blocher and Theodore Hawkins; plugmen, J. B. Peters, Dill Brame, W. R. Peters and W. P. Becker.

The Borough has an ample supply of hose, ladders and wagons for the use of the company.

Theodore Cook, of Harrisburg, spent Saturday and Sunday with Dr. E. W. Muroma.

Mrs. W. E. Biddle and family, of Hagerstown, are spending some time with her parents, J. B. Reutsong and wife.

Mrs. E. W. Sowers spent a few days with her sister in Carlisle last week.

Ira Schlosser lost a valuable colt by death last week.

H. S. McGrail will remove to Harrisburg this week.

J. C. Powley will leave this place shortly and go to Carlisle, where he has secured employment.

John Helges recently sold a tract of land containing about five acres to Norris Howe at Sunnyside station. D.

FROM FAIRFIELD.

APR. 15.—A very pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. Scherer in the Lutheran church last Thursday morning. The contracting parties were Mr. Chas. Shalley and Miss Emma Musselman, both of this vicinity. There was a large assembly of relatives and invited guests present. The bride and groom left immediately after the ceremony for Reading, where they intend making their home.

We are glad to announce that Mr. John Snyder, one of our brightest school teachers, received a Civil Service appointment last week. His appointment is in the Fish Culture Department for which examination he had the highest average of anyone in the State. He will be stationed in Virginia for which place he will leave here next Monday. The best wishes for his future success are extended to him by his many friends in this place and vicinity.

Dr. Wm. Heyser, of Washington, D. C., spent a few days with his parents at Jack's Mountain station last week.

H. L. Harbaugh, wife and family, and Harry Walter, of this place, spent Sunday with Wm. H. Gelbach, of Frederick, Md. G. M. N.

FROM ARENDTSVILLE.

APRIL 15.—E. Spangler sold 3 acres of land to Hiram C. Lady at $100 per acre.

Dr. Wm. E. Wolff is adding another story to his office and putting a bay window and bath room in his house.

Jacob Comfort, an aged veteran of the civil war, is quite ill the last few days with paralysis.

Mrs. Laura Pettis made a business trip to Philadelphia last week.

Miss Bertha Green, of Huntington, is visiting at the home of Hon. Wm. A. Martin; and Mrs. Harvey Hoffman at G. S. Rice's.

Robert B. Myers has placed a large arc lamp in front of his mill, which is a great convenience to night work at the mill.

Mrs. Annias W. Bittinger, of Menallen township, after eating a hearty dinner yesterday expired suddenly from heart failure, aged about 55 years. Funeral Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. P.

LIVE BIRD SHOOTS CONDEMNED.

New York has been so deeply stirred by the recent slaughter of pigeons on Long Island by sportsmen that a bill has been introduced in the Legislature of that State to prevent a repetition of the butchery. The bill, which was framed through the efforts of the American Humane Society, was presented in both branches of the Legislature Thursday. It is a drastic measure. Its provisions, briefly stated, are as follows: "Any person who keeps or uses a live pigeon, fowl or other bird for the purpose of a target, or as a test of skill in marksmanship, or shoots at a bird kept or used as aforesaid, or leases any building, room, field or premises, or knowingly permits the use thereof for the purpose of such shooting * * * shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be liable to a penalty of $50 for each violation of this act and to an additional penalty of $25 for each pigeon, fowl or other bird shot as or killed in violation thereof." Nothing in the proposed law, it is provided, shall apply to the shooting of game.

FROM ORRTANNA.

APRIL.—The following young men have gone to Perkiomen Seminary, Pennsburg, Montgomery county, Pa: Wm. Smith, Chas. Peppis, from Orrtanna, and Chas. Barton, from Fairfield.

Mr. John Peppio had a car-load of potatoes shipped from Greenwich, Ohio, to Orrtanna last week, the finest shipped into the county this season. J.

"MAMMA," called three-year-old Margie from the top of the stairs, "won't you please come up and sit with me till I go to sleep?" "No, darling; mamma's busy now," was the reply. "Run back to bed; the angels will watch over you till you go to sleep." "That's what you said before, mamma," answered the little miss, "but the angels didn't show up, and I'm just awful lonesome."—*Motherhood.*

LETTERS remaining unclaimed in the Gettysburg Post Office April 15, 1901:

Miss Elia Andrews, Charlie Bitner, Miss Mary Harman, Mrs. H. M. Lytle, Henry Stoufer, H. E. Storey, Miss Cecelia M. Shriver, Wm. Weller, Mrs. Maggie Weikers.

Persons calling for the above should state that they were advertised.

GEO. F. YOUNG, Postmaster.

General orders were issued Saturday from the headquarters of the National Guard announcing the acceptance of the resignation of Col. Henry Hall, of Pittsburg, a member of Governor Stone's staff.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

BUSINESS TRANSACTED BY THE BODY DURING THE WEEK—NEW LAWS.

Friends of the Road bill, which passed the House Wednesday, as amended by Mr. Creasy, to tax corporations one mill for the maintenance of roads, are worried by the Senate's reference of the measure to the Committee on Judiciary Local. This is regarded as its death warrant.

A bill to encourage the planting of trees along roadsides passed third reading on Wednesday in the House. It authorizes road supervisors to abate $1 of road tax for every two trees set out and designates the distance at which the trees shall be planted. The bill also provides a penalty for killing or injuring these trees, the fines to be paid to the road supervisors for the improvement of thoroughfares.

All the ballot bills are on the postponed calendar in the House, and will be taken up for third reading to-morrow. Efforts are being made to effect a compromise on a measure that will meet with the approbation of a majority of the Republicans and Democrats. The outcome of the agitation may be a return to the old system with the booths to retain secrecy. There is a disposition on the part of the Senators and members to pass such a law, and it is probable that the Squier or Smythe bills, both of which practically restore the old system, will be amended and passed.

The Senate legislative committee expects to whip the Emery Apportionment bill in shape to report and read the first time this week. The Judicial Apportionment bill has passed the House and will be taken up this week by the Senate. The Senate Congressional Apportionment bill is still slumbering on the House calendar. The Senate and House Committee have not yet acted upon the Henry Senatorial Apportionment bill. After the ballot reform question has been disposed of it is expected the several apportionment bills will be taken up and finally acted upon.

It is thought the Senate will take up the Fox Capitol bill for final passage during the week. Other bills on the Senate postponed calendar for final passage appropriate $1,000,000 for public roads; establish a State Racing Committee, the Guffey Ballot Reform bill, provide for the erection or purchase of armories for the National Guard and require foreign building and loan associations to pay an annual license fee.

The following were among the bills introduced:

Declaring the entering upon any inclosed field or woodland for the purpose of hunting and fishing to be a trespass.

Making it unlawful for first cousins to be joined in marriage, and declaring void all marriages hereafter contracted in violation of this act.

Providing a penalty of 5 per cent. on all persons in townships who fail to pay their taxes within a given time.

To prevent the shooting of deer with any weapon containing more than one bullet, shot or missile for each shot fired.

Among the bills which passed finally were these:

Providing for the commutation of sentences for good behavior of convicts in prisons, penitentiaries and county jails and for regulations governing the same.

Authorizing boroughs to provide a supply of water for the use of the public either by the erection and operation of water works or by contracts with persons or corporations authorized to supply water within the limits of said boroughs, or by both methods.

House bill amending an act providing for the taxation of dogs and the protection of sheep so that money collected in excess of $200 each year shall go to the schools in the district where the money is collected.

House bill providing for the centralization of township schools and to provide high schools for townships.

House bill amending an act prohibiting the adulteration of milk so as to extend its provisions to corporations, firms, etc., as well as individuals.

The Senate adjourned until Tuesday night at 9 o'clock.

New Laws.

The following are among the bills which have been signed by the Governor:

To enforce the provisions of Section 4, Article 17, of the Constitution, to prevent the consolidation of Parallel or competing lines of railroads, canal or other corporations.

Authorizing railroad and other transportation companies of Pennsylvania to acquire, hold and dispose of and guarantee the stock and securities of other corporations of this State or elsewhere.

Authorizing railroads heretofore or hereafter constructed to any river forming the boundary line between this and any adjoining State to be built by means of a bridge and its approaches to the middle of such river from the shore connecting with any railroad of such adjoining State.

Validating private sales of real estate of decedents heretofore made under authority of Orphans' Court upon petition of executors or administrators for payment of debts.

Fixing the duties of notaries public.

Enabling Indians to sue and be sued.

To punish kidnapping by life imprisonment.

Validating changes heretofore made in the names of corporation by Court of Common Pleas.

Providing for the division of the directors or managers of insurance companies into classes and for the election of such directors or managers and making lawful the said division and classification of directors or managers of insurance companies heretofore made.

Providing for burial of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, who served the United States in war, who died in almshouses or any such institutions. County Commissioners are authorized to purchase plots of ground for the burial of all such. Heretofore, in some of the counties, these old soldiers have been buried in the potter's field, where in some cases they have been disinterred time and again. Pennsylvania has always taken good care of her country's defenders.

The McClain Cooper Libel bill.

Authorizing School Boards to grant the use of school houses for lyceum and other literary purposes.

Regulating the baling of hay and straw and marking the weight of the bale.

Empowering the owners and lessees of real estate to kill hares or rabbits upon their own premises at all season of the year. This bill was introduced by Representative Morrison, of Mercer, and had the support of a large majority of the members from farming districts. Its preamble reads as follows: "The protection given to rabbits by the various acts of Assembly of this Commonwealth, prohibiting the killing of the same except during short seasons of the year, has so increased their numbers that they have become a nuisance to farmers and others engaged in the raising of fruits and vegetables."

Providing for the taking of depositions in cases pending before Magistrates and Justices of the Peace.

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STONE AGAINST QUAY.

A Harrisburg dispatch of a recent date says:

It is understood that Quay will soon know, if he has not learned since his hasty return to Washington, that in the opinion of Quay legislators from the country he must once more appeal to the party workers in their bailiwicks if he does not want to be pushed out of politics by the new Machine which Stone proposes to build up to make himself Quay's successor in the Senate and promote Attorney General Elkin to the Governorship.

The rural Quayites generally believe that the Senator has been "thrown down" by Stone. As evidence they point to declarations to this effect in newspapers of Pittsburg and elsewhere, controlled by Quay's friends.

There is persistent rumor that Senator Quay is determined not to agree with the new State combination on the advisability of urging the nomination for Governor next year of Attorney General Elkin. Certain powerful interests are bitterly opposed to Elkin, and there is little doubt that a strong opposition to his nomination could be worked up. This would be especially easy if ex-Senator Cameron should consent to make an early entrance into the race, and Senator Quay should make up his mind to make Harry Oliver, of Pittsburg, his successor in the Senate.

Quay is reported to have said recently:

"The appointment of Major Brown as Recorder of Pittsburg under the provisions of the 'Ripper bill' was not very pleasing to me. Governor Stone this when he made the appointment. On this point the Governor and I don't agree. There is no disagreement, however, on any other point between us.

MAN AND CATTLE DROWNED.

William Braaw, Jr., an 18-year-old son of William Braaw, hotel keeper at Srinestown, York county, lost his life in the Susquehanna river at Middletown Ferry Thursday afternoon, while in the act of taking a load of cattle from the York county side to Middletown. Young Braaw was in charge of 16 head of cattle on a flat boat, which was being towed across the river by a steam ferry-boat. The cattle, becoming frightened from some cause, crowded to the forward end of the boat, which filled with water and sank. The river was running high, and before aid could be given by the men on the steamboat, the young man and six head of cattle were drowned; the other ten head succeeded in swimming to shore. At last accounts, the body of Braaw had not been recovered.—*Hanover Record.*

What Makes the Home?

Not the house, however fine it may be; not its furniture, pictures and appointments. The wife and mother makes the home, and to speak of going home means to go back into the shelter of the mother's love and care.

And when womanly ills sap the mother's strength, the home-life suffers. The food is not cooked as she cooks it. Everywhere the lack of wifely supervision and motherly thoughtfulness is apparent. What a change, then, when this wife and mother comes back to take her old place in the family. Thousands of women who, because of womanly ills, had been shut out of home life and home happiness, have been enabled to once more take their place in the family after being cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong, sick women well.

"I commenced taking your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' about the 20th of last December one year ago," writes Mrs. Wm. Wright of Mountainview, Howell Co., Missouri. "I have been very slow about writing to you, although I am thankful I am here to-day and have the privilege of saying thank you a thousand times for your kind advice. I can truthfully say that it was through your kind advice and your medicine and the will of the Lord that I am living to-day. I am in better health than I have been for years. I have taken one-half dozen bottles of each medicine, and am able to do my washing for four in family, and all my housework, cooking and milking. In fact, I feel like a new woman."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation and its almost countless consequences. They do not react on the system nor beget the pill habit.

A large number of German Baptists from Blair, Somerset, Bedford and surrounding counties have migrated to North Dakota to engage in farming. These migrations to the Dakotas have been going on for four or five years, the members of that faith preferring to live in a farming region.

"I HAVE been troubled with indigestion for ten years, have tried many things and spent much money to no purpose until I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have taken two bottles and got more relief from them than all other medicines taken. I feel more like a boy than I have felt in twenty years." Anderson Riggs, of Sunny Lane, Tex. Thousands have testified as did Mr. Riggs. L. M. Buehler.

DR. WILLIAM JAY YOHMANS, for many years editor of *Popular Science Monthly*, died last Wednesday at his home in Mount Vernon, N. Y., of typhoid fever, after an illness lasting ten days.

SKIN troubles, cuts, burns, scalds, and chafing quickly healed by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is intensely soothing. Be sure you get DeWitt's. L. M. Buehler.

J. PIERPONT MORGAN has organized a department store trust with branches all over the country.

SPRING coughs are specially dangerous and unless cured at once, serious results often follow. One Minute Cough Cure acts like magic. It is not a common mixture but is a high grade remedy.

IN response to numerous complaints of damages to fragile articles sent through the mails the Post-office Department has issued a general order warning the public to use more care in preparing articles to stand more rough handling. Postmasters are also directed to warn parties mailing insecurely put up packages that the packages are very liable to damage in transit.

THOSE famous little pills, DeWitt's Little Early Risers, will remove all impurities from your system, cleanse your bowels, make them regular. L. M. Buehler.

SINCE the breaking away of the dam over the Susquehanna river at Columbia, shad are caught up in the Juniata river as high as the Middletown dam. As that dam is no longer used for canal purposes, the people living above it want it removed so they can get a chance to catch shad.

"LAST winter I was confined to my bed with a very bad cold on the lungs. Nothing gave me relief. Finally my wife bought a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure that effected a speedy cure. I cannot speak too highly of that excellent remedy."—Mr. T. K. Houseman, Manatawney, Pa. L. M. Buehler.

FIVE new cases of smallpox were reported to the Board of Health of Steelton Wednesday. There are now 40 cases of the disease in that borough and suburbs.

"I HAD piles so bad I could get no rest nor find a cure until I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. After using it once I forgot I ever had anything like Piles." E. C. Boice Somers Point, N. Y. Look out for imitations. Be sure you ask for DeWitt's. L. M. Buehler.

Frederick G. Stark, the senior member of the well-known jewelry firm of Stark & Son, of Hanover, died on Thursday of the effects of a stroke of paralysis.

THE BEST COLD CURE is one you take without in eruption to business. One that does not effect the head or hearing like the continued use of quinine. One that cures speedily and leaves you feeling fresh and clear-headed. Such a one is Krause's Cold Cure. Price 25c. Sold by L. M. Buehler.

THE Cumberland Valley Sabbath School Association have decided that the Assembly be held from July 1st to July 6th.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.*

Blood.

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor.

There is nothing else to live on or by.

When strength is full and spirits high, we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain, in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood.

This is health.

When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it.

Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child.

If you have not tried it, send for free sample. Be sure that this wrapper is on it.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists
409-415 Pearl Street, New York.
50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

CHARLES E. STEWART, of Westminster, Md., has been awarded the contract to make the Western Maryland railroad improvements west of Hagerstown.

CHRONIC NASAL CATARRH poisons every breath that is drawn into the lungs. There is procurable from any druggist the remedy for the cure of this trouble. A small quantity of Ely's Cream Balm placed into the nostrils spreads over an inflamed and angry surface, relieving immediately the painful inflammation, cleanses, heals and cures. A cold in the head vanishes immediately. Sold by druggists or will be mailed for 50 cents by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

THE Harrisburg & Mechanicsburg Electric Railway has made all preparations for the extension of its line from White Hill to Mechanicsburg. It is said that cars will be running between Carlisle and Mechanicsburg by the 4th of July.

A SPRING TONIC. Everybody needs a tonic in the spring, at this time the system craves a tonic. It is housecleaning time for your body. Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound will tone up your nerves, blood, kidneys and liver, and fit you with health and energy. Sold by L. M. Buehler.

THE ladies of St. Mary's Catholic church, McSherrystown, will hold a fair for the benefit of the church, beginning April 13, to continue two weeks.

YOU will waste time if you try to cure indigestion or dyspepsia by starving yourself. That only makes it worse when you do eat heartily. You always need plenty of good food properly digested. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the result of years of scientific research for something that would digest not only some elements of food but every kind. And it is the one remedy that will do it. L. M. Buehler.

THE Woman's Missionary convention of the Pennsylvania conference of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ will hold its 23rd annual session in the Osterbuin United Brethren church at Harrisburg, April 18 and 19.

JANGLING NERVES. Are you irritable? Do you sleep badly? Is it hard to concentrate your thoughts? Is your appetite poor? Do you feel tired, restless and despondent? Try Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound. Is will do you more good than anything you have ever tried. Sold by L. M. Buehler.

THE W. M. R. R. Co. has filed a bill in equity to enjoin the Mayor and Council of Hagerstown from further proceedings in the case against the Company for maintaining stock yards within the city limits.

You cannot enjoy perfect health, rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes if your liver is sluggish and your bowels clogged. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cleanse the whole system. They never gripe. L. M. Buehler.

IF is said the seventeen-year locusts are due to arrive this summer.

HELLER'S TESTIMONY. Albert Heller, living at 3114 Farnham St., Omaha, says: "I have tried most everything that is used as a preventive or cure for headache, but nothing did me so much good as Krause's Headache Capsules. Others who have used them say the same thing." Price 25. Sold by L. M. Buehler.

Jurors for April.

LIST OF GRAND JURORS drawn March 15, 1901, for Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, to be held in Gettysburg, Pa., on the third Monday of April, the FOURTH MONDAY of APRIL, A. D., 1901.

Bowers, Geo, S., laborer, Tyrone twp.
Bricker, S. S., farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Belsecker, Wm. D., carpenter, Franklin twp.
Bushman, C. Scott, farmer, Straban twp.
Day, Timothy, farmer, Menallen twp.
Gitt, Edward, farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Gardner, John W., laborer, Huntington twp.
Guise, John E., farmer, Butler twp.
Howard, Ephraim, gent., Straban twp.
Kitzs, Rudolph, farmer, Huntington twp.
Leer, Jacob, farmer, Huntington twp.
Leonard, L. Harper, farmer, McSherrystown, 1st w.
Lapp, Andrew P., farmer, Butler twp.
Meschley, Edward, farmer, Gettysburg, 3d wd.
Musselman, Geo. E., farmer, Harbor twp.
Neiderer, Jacob D., Agt., McSherrystown, 1st w.
Overbaugh, Jerome, cigarmaker, McSherrystown, 1st ward.
Reck, Samuel D., farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Sheely, Geo. A., farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Stock, John W., farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Tyson, Chas. A., farmer, Germany twp.
Slagle, Jacob, laborer, Hamiltonban twp.
Trostle, M. A. L., farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Weitz, Geo. M., farmer, Liberty twp.

LIST OF PETIT JURORS drawn Mar. 15, 1901, for Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Gettysburg, Pa., on the third Monday of April, the FOURTH MONDAY of APRIL, A. D., 1901, and to serve two weeks if necessary.

Adams, John F., laborer, Tyrone twp
Baldwin, Joseph, farmer, Menallen twp.
Bushman, John, P. S., Conowago twp.
Bucher, Isaac, farmer, Franklin twp.
Bollinger, Adam K., farmer, Cumberland twp.
Beam, Hiram, farmer, Butler twp.
Becker, Henry W., chairmaker, Tyrone twp.
Eden, H. W., jeweler, Bonneauville bor.
Eckert, Wm. A., farmer, Huntington twp.
Fleckinger, John H., J. P., Berwick bor.
Fisher, John A., farmer, Germany twp.
Gelbach, Geo. W., gent, York Springs bor.
Hartman, E. N., farmer, Liberty twp.
Hilterbrick, Chas., freight'n, Gettysburg, 3d w.
Kime, James A., farmer, Liberty twp.
Keady, Albert, merchant, Hamiltonban twp.
Kime, Robert, laborer, Straban twp.
Knouse, John A., stonecutter, Arendtsville bor
Kitzmiller, Wm. H., billiard room keeper, Gettysburg, 2nd ward.
Lady, H. C., teacher, Arendtsville bor.
Lower, J. G. D., carpenter, Arendtsville bor.
Markley, Morgan, butcher, Gettysburg, 1st w.
Miller, P. M., ex-Sheriff, New Oxford bor.
Musselman, Wm. W., farmer, Hamiltonban tp.
Mills, Abner, merchant, Mountjoy twp.
Myers, Daniel H., laborer, Reading twp.
McCleaverty, Fred. E., gent, Gettysburg, 2d w.
Orner, Allen T., confectioner, Franklin twp.
Reiner, John, farmer, Hamiltonban tp.
Strouch, Charles, farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Slagle, P. A., carpenter, McSherrystown, 2d w.
Sheely, James, huckster, Gettysburg, 3d w.
Shultz, David C., farmer, Hamiltonban twp.
Trostle, Geo. C., farmer, Latimore twp.
Weit, M. C., Agt., Baltimore twp.
Wilson, N. G., gent, Gettysburg, 3d wd.
Yohe, Geo. M., farmer, Oxford twp.
Yount, Wm., gent, Littlestown bor.
Mar. 26, 4t

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

JEREMIAH TAUGHINBAUGHS ESTATE.—Letters of administration on estate of JEREMIAH TAUGHINBAUGH, late of Straban twp., Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, they here

The Compiler.

Gettysburg, Pa., Tuesday, April 16, 1901.

PERSONALS.

—Dr. and Mrs. Edw. G. Fahnestock, formerly of Gettysburg, now of Minneapolis, where Dr. Fahnestock is Secretary to the Lumber Exchange, visited Mr and Mrs. D. A. Skelly last Thursday and Friday. They came here from Carlisle, where they were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Wile. Dr. Fahnestock was one of the charter members of Good Samaritan lodge, F. and A. M., of this place, and its Worshipful Master in 1861. A banquet was tendered him by the lodge at Hotel Gettysburg Thursday evening, about sixty members being present. He removed from Gettysburg about eighteen years ago.

—Major Charles A. Richardson and Major William M. Robbins, members of the Gettysburg National Military Park Commission, have returned to Gettysburg from their respective homes, where they have been spending some time.

—General Daniel Butterfield, Gen. Meade's Chief of Staff at Gettysburg, and one of the most distinguished surviving officers of the Civil War, was stricken with paralysis at his home in New York last Friday. He is a member of the New York Monument Commission for Gettysburg and Chattanooga.

—Geo. Crawford and children, of Hagerstown, visited relatives here last week.

—Emory H. Forrest and bride returned Saturday evening from a wedding tour to York, Baltimore and Washington.

—Rev. W. N. R. Ashmead and mother are moving from the Episcopal rectory, Baltimore street, to the McKnight building, Centre Square and Baltimore street.

—Miss Belle Cressler, Principal of the Preparatory Department of Wilson College, Chambersburg, visited Prof. and Mrs. O. G. Kuegle over Sunday.

—Rev. V. T. Rue left this morning for a few weeks' visit at Jacksonville and other points in Florida. During his absence Rev. Barger, United Brethren minister of Hagerstown, will fill his pulpit.

—J. W. Pettie left yesterday on a business trip to Philadelphia and New York.

—The following were among those registered at the Eagle last week: Webster C. Weiss, of Bethlehem, Grand R g nt of the Royal Arcanum of Pennsylvania, and W. H. Druckenmiller, of Sunbury, Vice Grand Regent, who were here perfecting arrangements for the convention to be held here next month; W. H. Rose, of Philadelphia, Grand Master I. O. O. F. of Pennsylvania, accompanied by Geo. H. Banes, of the Pa. R. R. Co., who were here in the interest of the coming encampment; C. J. Stewart and G. P. Williams, of Camden, N. J., on business connected with the Union Veteran Legion Encampment to be held here in October.

—Rev. Father Martin, of Elizabethtown, is the guest of his father, Capt. Wm. J. Martin.

—Among those registered at Hotel Gettysburg last week were Capt. Wm. Bliss, of the 7th Mass Regt; who took part in 3rd day's fight; Hon. Robert P. Street, of Suffield, Conn; Dr. Edward Conley, of Boston; Dr. John L. Hitchcock, of Cambridge, Mass., and Lt. Henry M. Harver of Baltimore; Misses Mary and Anna Kimble, of Lebanon, New Hampshire.

—Mrs. Jennie Croll has returned to Germantown after having spent a few weeks among friends here.

—Rev. T. P. Ege, of Germantown, was a Gettysburg visitor last week.

—Mrs. G. M. Duncanson and daughter, of Carlisle, have been spending the past few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Diehl.

—Messrs. Calvin E. Hartley and L. R. Wills, both of Highland township, started yesterday morning for Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where they intend to pursue a course in Eastman's Business College.

—Mrs. O. H. Melchior, of Springtown, Pa., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Monthorn.

—J. H. Sheep, George Lefler, H. H. Penrod, C. Fegler, C. H. May and C. E. Glatfelter, of the College Pan Kappa Psi fraternity, attended the District Convention held in Philadelphia last week.

—Miss Cora A. Ruff spent last week in Littlestown.

—Miss Sue Dubbs, of East Berlin, is visiting her uncle, H. G. Weikert.

—Mrs. H. G. Webber is visiting friends in Hanover and East Berlin.

—Rev. and Mrs. E. Felton, of Baltimore, visited the Misses Kuhn last week.

—Capt. W. R. Bourke, U. S. A., and wife, of Shell Lake, Wis., are registered at Hotel Gettysburg.

—Mrs. Cornelius Bouton, of Brownsville, Md., is visiting Prof. and Mrs. C. B. Stover.

—Rev. L. C. Smiley leaves this morning for Brookville, Pa., to officiate at a wedding of old friends this evening.

—Miss Olivia McClean has been spending the past week with friends in Baltimore.

—Mrs. P. M. Pyle is visiting her mother, Mrs. Woll, in Millerstown, Pa.

—G. W. Chrisman, of Westminster, who spent Sunday with his parents here, paid us an appreciated call yesterday.

—Mrs. Samuel Hartzell, who spent the winter in Florida for her health, returned last week much improved.

—Mrs. John Cox was a Washington visitor last week.

—Miss A. Pauline Buehler has returned from a visit to her mother at Foltz, Pa.

—Miss Aggie Barr is spending a few days in Philadelphia.

—H. C. Fox, of Waynesboro, spent Sunday here with his son Carroll.

—Miss Theodora Ross has returned to Germantown after a week's visit among Gettysburg friends.

—Miss Ruth Stahle has returned from a week's visit among friends in Hanover.

—Mrs. R. S. McKinney and son Andrew, of Taneytown, spent part of last week with Miss Aggie Barr.

—Rev. P. J. Shriver, of Freedom, Md., spent last week here with his parents.

—Miss Elsie Croll, who has been spending her Easter vacation here, returned to Smith College, Northampton, Mass., last week.

—R. B. Watt has resumed his duties at Betts' Academy, Stamford, Conn., after having spent some time here with his parents.

—Miss Mabel Annan, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Chas. H. Huber, returned to Wilson College, Chambersburg, Tuesday.

—Rev. James A. M. Pheser, of Princeton Theological Seminary, spent the past week with his parents in this place.

—Mrs. H. A. Spalding and Miss Nina Livers, of Littlestown, spent a few days here with Miss Gertie Spalding last week.

—Miss Katie Tingle has returned to Baltimore after a few weeks' visit to her mother.

—Miss Annette Schick, of Harrisburg, was a Gettysburg visitor last week.

—Miss Annie Scantlin is visiting friends in Washington D. C.

—Miss Lilly Chritzman has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs Annie Shadle, at Williamsport, Pa.

—Mrs. P. Mark Bream and daughter Ruth, spent the past few days in Cashtown.

—Miss Sadie Sheely has returned from an extended visit in Philadelphia.

—Miss Emma Forrest, of Littlestown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emory H. Forrest.

—[illegible] Epp, wife and son, of York, [illegible] Mrs. Troxel the past few days [illegible] Troxel.

MISCELLANEOUS.

On Sunday evening, Apr. 21, Rev. A. R. Ayres, Presiding Elder, will preach in the Memorial U. B. Church in this place. The Communion service will follow the sermon of the evening. All are cordially invited.

S. M. Bushman is contemplating building a two story brick addition to the south side of the Masonic building, Center Square.

Among the pictures sent from the Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia, to the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo is one by Charles Morris Young entitled "Winter Morning After Snow."

T. E. Farrell, of the firm of M. & T. E. Farrell, the contractors for the Battlefield avenues, has returned from West Chester to Gettysburg and work will be rapidly pushed on the Confederate Avenue now building. Stone, said to be of an excellent quality for Telfordized roads, is being taken out at the Bender quarry. About 20 Italians, employees of Mr. Farrell, arrived on Saturday.

Our patrons and friends who remembered us in their April settlements have our thanks.

The following is the weight of the mail matter handled in the post-office during the last 42 days: Received 19,423 lbs.; dispatched 12,581 lbs.; daily average 762 lbs. The carriers delivered during the same period 8 962 lbs.

Farmers have been busy sowing oats and preparing their corn land, but are now again interfered with by bad weather. The season is somewhat late, but owing to the recent rains the ground will be in excellent condition for starting the oats.

Miss Cox is having her building on Baltimore street, occupied by H. B. Sefton and J. A. Danner, repainted.

The trout season in Pennsylvania opened yesterday. F. Mark Bream spent the day along the Conococheague.

Miss Amanda Tawney and George Wierman, of the Senior class of Meade High School, have been elected salutatorian and valedictorian respectively.

The scholars of the High School yesterday presented John C. Cobean with a gold headed cane inscribed with the words "Golf Queen, 1901" as a slight token of their appreciation of his assistance at the entertainment last Friday night.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet at the home of Mrs. K. M. Wolf, on Saturday next at 2 p. m.

The L. M. Alleman Hardware Co. is erecting a large awning in front of their place of business.

The College base ball team returned from the Southern trip last Tuesday, having played three games during the trip. Beside the score mentioned last week, the other two games played and the results were as follows: At Ashland, Va.,—Randolph Macon, 11, Gettysburg 6; at Williamsburg, Va.,—William and Mary's 1, Gettysburg 8. Plank allowed his opponents but two hits in this game.

Wm. E. Biddle, formerly of Gettysburg, recently of Baltimore, has returned to this place and has opened a general grocery store in the room formerly occupied by D. J. Swartz on Baltimore street.

Gettysburg defeated Franklin and Marshall College in a well played game of base ball at Lancaster on Saturday by a score of 4 to 0. Winters, the local's pitcher, struck out 15 men and allowed but 2 hits. The team will play State College on Nixon Field Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Frank will pitch for Gettysburg.

Mr. John McClean is making a number of improvements to the house recently purchased by him on York street.

Paine Hankie is driving a handsome new bakery wagon.

Joe Matthews, porter at the Eagle, while working in the garden at his home on Washington street, one day last week, dug up an old Prussian coin bearing the date of 1803. It is about the size of the United States quarter.

G. W. Myers was arrested yesterday on the charge of assaulting an officer. It appears that Sheriff Morrison was serving a writ of replevin for the recovery of a sewing machine in the possession of Mrs. Myers and was resisted in the performance of the duties by Myers. A hearing is to be held this afternoon before J. L. Hill, J. P.

JOAN D'ARC.

The Xavier Dramatic Association presented to a large audience last Tuesday evening the historical drama "Joan d'Arc, the Maid of Orleans." The play throughout was excellent, and the young people who took part and their teachers are to be complimented on the thoroughness of the preparation. The cast of characters was as follows:

The Maid of Orleans, ... Josephine Knipple
Eva Mudge, Duke d'Alencon, ... Mary Pitzer.
Earl Salisbury, Mark ..... Belle Becker.

PEASANT MAIDS.

Lucille ..... Marie Stock.
Claire Dunois ..... Elizabeth Gutelius.
Marie Grice ..... Fannie Lee Reynolds.
Perrine ..... Laura Crist.
Brown ..... Dora Stonk.
Mathieu ..... Blanche Lovers.
Pelissier ..... Mabel Colbert.
Blanche ..... Anna Wiestling.
Lucy ..... Ella Bingham Gelt.
Lady Lorraine, Joan's Godmother and Court Lady ..... Grace Hemmeter.
Duke of Burgundy, Uncle of Charles VII, the Dauphin ..... Willie Wiest.
Charles VII, the Dauphin ..... Francis Cole.
Lord Talbot, Duke of Shrewsbury ..... Mark Stock.
Lady Agnes, King's Foster Sister ..... Pauline Eberhart.
Count Rimois, King's Cousin ..... Joseph Roddy.
Lady Clare, "La Hire," faithful subject ..... Lew Stock.
Noble Page—Francis Carver, Willie Colbert, Harry Brockhurst and Charles Knipple.
Lords and Ladies—Sadie Martin, Maud Knipple and Annie Cordell.
Foreign Lords—Edward Wentzkey, Torrance Topper and Dolph Carver.
Judges—Mark Stock, Simon Fromme yer and Edwin Wentzkey.
Tailor ..... Lindsay Eisenrode
Courtiers—Harry Hemler, Harry Stock and Joe Spindler.

Between each of the scenes the audience was entertained by very pleasing instrumental music. The program for this feature we published last week.

The net proceeds amounted to $111.27.

AN ENJOYABLE EVENT.

Miss Ida Tinges tendered a dance to her dancing class in Xavier Hall last Thursday evening.

About 9 o'clock refreshments were served to the young folks, after which dancing was resumed, lasting until about 10 o'clock when all departed for their respective homes.

Those on the floor were Morris and Nelson Weaver, Frances McClean, Edna Tudor, Lucile Warner, Ruth Hamilton, Louise and Kathryn Duncan, Edgar and Ruth Faber, Henry and Donald Huber, Carrie Sandoe, Ruth and Frena Buehler, Rachael Sheely, Mary Slaybaugh, Clyde Bream and Margaret Koser.

Leader in Prices—Fine N. Y. Potatoes 60 cts. bushel. We always lead and never follow. People's Cash Store. 1t

For Rent—New six-room house on York street, Gettysburg, at $5 00 per month. Martin Winter. 1t

Go to Bumbaugh's for your Seed Potatoes, Early Rose, Early Ohio, Beauty of Hebron, etc., also the genuine Rural New Yorker, No. 2. No matter what others say, Bumbaugh has them. Also headquarters for Green Goods, Fresh Fish, etc. Another car of Rural in this week. 1t*

An extra fine Berkshire and Poland China crossed sow and eight pigs will be sold at F. M. William's sale on Saturday, April 20. Robert S. Bream. 1t

The Dutch Brigade in "From Sumpter to Appomattox" worth the price of admission. Xavier Hall, Thursday, April 19th. 1t

From Sumpter to Appomattox, Xavier Hall, April 18th., see adv. 1t

PASSED THE EXAMINATION.

The Pupils of Adams County's Schools Who Passed the Final Examination.

We publish below the names of the pupils of the schools of the county who passed the final examination held in Meade School building on the 6th, with their post-office addresses and names of their teachers. The class numbered forty-two, thirty-six of whom passed, ranking as follows. They will receive the common school diploma:

Bessie M. Smith, Bermudian, Homer P. Troup.
Chas. Shryock, Fairfield, Chas. A. Landis.
Rufus M. Weaver, Gettysburg, Helen L. Cope.
Dan'l. H. Rock, Fairfield, Chas. A. Landis.
Maud H. Smith, Bermudian, Homer P. Troup.
Wm. E. Bowers, Biglerville, Percy T. Hoffmeins.
Edda Stambaugh, York Springs, Harry E. Trostle.
Jean E. Pearson, York Springs, Theo. D. Culp.
Esther H. Smith, Bermudian, Homer P. Troup.
Chas. M. Boyer, Hampton, Paul G. Duncan.
Hermie E. Spangler, York Springs, Emma L. Wierman.
Ada Holtzager, Zora, Francis Topper.
Essie Miller, Hampton, Jno. A. Stonour.
Louis Goulden, Fairfield, Wm. H. Sharetts.
Margie Brown, New Oxford, Mary Waltman.
Isabelle Sadler, Gargol, Ray Jobe.
Hazel C. Pearson, York Springs, Theo. D. Culp.
Milton H. Bair, Littlestown, Wm. L. Hoffmeins.
J. Guy Wolf, Abbottstown, Ernest E. Jacobs.
Maurice A. Topper, Emmitsburg, Md., Wm. H. Sharetts.
Belle Bream, Gettysburg, Jno. P. Snyder.
Bess Kitzinger, Fairfield, Chas. A. Landis.
Melvin Weikert, Fairfield, Sam'l. E. Hetrshey.
Mabel V. Tracey, Fountaindale, Chas. M. Stuttley.
Gertie M. Baker, East Berlin, Paul G. Duncan.
Susie L. Baker, Abbottstown, Ernest E. Jacobs.
Ursula Sterner, Idaville, Mervin O. Brame.
Carrie Weikert, Fairfield, Sam'l. E. Hershey.
Delia V. Appler, Two Taverns, Mary E. Benner.
Chas. S. Bream, Gettysburg, Etta Benner.
Carrie Warthen, Gettysburg, Jno. P. Snyder.
Emma L. Phillips, Littlestown, Mervin Wintrode.
David Heyser, Jack's Mountain, Chas. M. Stuttley.
Francis G. Carne, Abbottstown, G. Allen Yohe.
Rose L. Geiselman, Centennial, Howard S. Riggle.
Lavina Bosserman, East Berlin, Clayton B. Yohe.

Higher Course of Study.

Coit R. Hechst, East Berlin, Paul G. Duncan.
Gertie L. Miller, East Berlin, Paul G. Duncan.

The Committee of Examination was composed of the following: W. L. Hoffheins, G. Allen Yohe, Miss Bernardina Corrigan, J. A. Slothour, M. N. Wehler, Daniel Rull, J. D. Hunter, Miss Helen L. Cope, I. A. Taylor, Theodore D. Culp, C. A. Landis and County Superintendent H. M. Roth.

"GYPSY QUEEN."

The pupils of the High School delighted the large audience in Assembly Hall Friday night with their well nigh perfect rendition of "Gypsy Queen," an operetta in two acts.

The curtain rose shortly after 8 o'clock revealing a tastefully arranged Gypsy camp by the wayside, with a band of strolling wanderers sitting in a circle awaiting the return of their Queen, who shortly returned with Rosalie, a captured Tyrolien.

The song and scene was rather pathetic as Rosalie, in a clear, sweet voice, pleads to be allowed to return to her native heath. The scene closed with the escape of Rosalie.

Rosalie wanders off and the 2nd act opens with her entrance into "Angel land." Tired and weary, she falls asleep and is only awakened after a song and drill by a group of Fairies. Rosalie, in song, tells the story of her wanderings to the Fairies, who promise her that she will be restored to her people. In the midst of their story footsteps of mortals are heard and the Tyrolians appear in search of the Queen Rosalie, who is restored to them. The play ended with a chorus by the Fairies and Tyrolians.

Miss Ruth Stine as "Gypsy Queen" and Miss Mary Sneads, as "Rosalie" took their parts remarkably well. The singing of "Rosalie" was a revelation to the audience and showed a remarkable vocal talent for one of so few years.

The production throughout showed a thorough and diligent preparation on the part of the participants and the excellence of the performance reflects much credit upon Prof. J. D. Hunter and Miss Helen Cope, who had the entertainment in charge. The drill by the Fairies was heartily encored, the many and intricate evolutions being perfectly executed.

A great part of the credit for the successful rendition must be given to Mr. John Cobean, who presided at the piano. His work was marvelous, considering the fact that he played the entire operetta from memory with a faultless touch.

The net proceeds, $50.65 will go to the Library Fund of the school.

MARY KOLBE RECITAL.

Mary Kolbe, the wonderful child elocutionist, who is remembered by many of our people, will give one of her inimitable entertainments in Brua Chapel this evening under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church. Chart opened at Buehler's Drug Store yesterday morning. Doors open at 7.00; performance at 8.00. The College Quartette will assist Miss Kolbe in the evening's program.

Miss Mary Kolbe, of Washington, D. C. whose fame as a juvenile elocutionist is widely known, re-appeared before a Carlisle audience in Bosler Hall last evening after a lapse of several years. Her improvement has been marvelous and notwithstanding her tender years she is the peer of many professional elocutionists who grace the American stage to-day. Nature has endowed her with wonderful talents which artists in her line have labored long years to possess. There is a delightful freedom from amateurishness in her work which makes her a favorite with the most refined assemblages.—*Carlisle Volunteer.*

Court Notes.

W. H. Cromer and Clark Marshall appointed appraisers to set aside estate of Urias A. Shriner for use of widow.

Wm. A. Smith appointed guardian of Emma A, Helen M., Mary F. and Joseph Spalding, minor children of Mary A Spalding.

Sale of real estate of Fianna Dindore, deceased, confirmed.

Different varieties of seed potatoes—Early Rose, Early Ohio, Beauty of Hebron, Early Dakotas and Rural New Yorkers—for sale. People's Cash Store. 1t

Greatest War Drama ever written. Don't fail to see it. Xavier Hall, April 18th, see adv. 1t

From Sumpter to Appomattox—Dramatic action powerful; comedy scenes convulsing; Xavier Hall, April 18th. 1t

Lost—April 1st, on the Bendersville road, between the two Martin Boyer farms, a pair of check lines. Finder please return to B. W. Hankey, Bigierville, Pa. 1t*

Just Received—A car-load of New York Potatoes. Price 60 cts. bushel. 1t People's Cash Store.

EMMERT HARTZELL CUTLERY CO. LT'D.

A New Industry for Gettysburg Which Will Employ about 30 Men.

Mention has been made in these columns of a new enterprise for Gettysburg which would give employment to quite a number of workmen, but as the arrangements for the formation of the new company had not been completed information was not given out in detail.

The company, which is to be known as the "Emmert Hartzell Cutlery Co.," has now under way a large and commodious building on Railroad street, opposite the P. & R. R. R. station, where there will be manufactured all kinds of butcher's cutlery including the Hartzell knife, which has obtained on the market quite a reputation for its excellence. The new plant is to be an enlargement of Mr. Hartzell's business formerly located at Fairfield.

The Directors are Samuel M. Bushman, David G. Miller, J. L. Butt, Esq., Dr. H. B. Nixon, Geo. A. Trostle, Emmert Hartzell, William H. Jones, T. J. Winebrenner, J. Elmer Musselman and Charles A. Trostle. The officers are the following: President, S. M. Bushman; Secretary, J. E. Musselman; Treasurer, C. A. Trostle; Manager, Emmert Hartzell.

The business will be conducted as a limited partnership with a capital of $15,000.

About 30 men will be given steady employment. A large lot of new and the latest improved machinery will be used and only cutlery of first-class quality will be made. Mr. Hartzell is an expert in this line, and we understand that offers have already been made by large dealers in cutlery for the output of the plant.

The company is under an excellent management and promises to be a permanent and useful improvement for Gettysburg.

APRIL COURT.

The Civil cases set for trial for the April term of Court which begins next Monday are the following:

N. M. Matthews & Co. vs. Peter H. Strubinger, appeal.

J. C. Reinecker vs. Christian Deardorff, trespass.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the use of Christian Deardorff vs. George Horting, constable of the township of Butler, and W. W. Meals and C. O. Myers, his sureties, trespass.

Amelia P. Jacobs vs. John P. Swartz, Mrs. John P. Swartz, trespass.

N. M. Matthews & Co. vs. Peter H. Strubinger, assumpsit.

Berlin Branch Railroad Co. vs. A. A. Gruver, assumpsit.

Isaac H. Haller and Mary L. Haller vs. Annie E. Beecher, John Beecher, assumpsit.

Jennie F. Fink vs. Jacob Wolford, trespass.

Reuben H. Sowers vs. Emeline Haines, Lavina Haines and Luther D. Sowers, executor of Barbara Haines and John Haines, ejectment.

Elmer W. Moore, receiver of the Iron City Mutual Fire Insurance Co. vs. Catharine A. Diehl, executrix of the estate of Joseph R. Diehl, deceased, assumpsit.

Joseph B. Sargent, Thomas B. Atkins, Geo. W. Sargent, trading under the firm name and style of Sargent & Co. vs. S. L. Johns, Harry N. Gitt, trading under the firm name and style of the L. M. Alleman Hardware Co., assumpsit.

Augustus H. Ebert, trading under the firm name and style of B. Ebert and Sons vs. Samuel L. Johns, Harry N. Gitt, trading under the firm name and style of the L. M. Alleman Hardware Co., assumpsit.

Noah Sheely vs. Porter Brothers' Company, foreign attachment.

Thirteen criminal cases are also set for trial, a number of which will be heard.

Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE.

The sessions of the tenth Annual Conference of the newly elected Student Association Presidents of Pennsylvania will be held in the College Y. M. C. A. hall here from April 25-28 inclusive.

Addresses will be delivered by the following prominent workers: Henry Wade Rieks, Secretary International Committee; College Secretary Edward C. Jenkins, of New York; Thomas S. Evans, General Secretary of University of Pennsylvania Association; Richard G. Hooper, in charge of International work in Philadelphia; Prof. F. H. Green, of West Chester State Normal School; S. M. Baird, State Secretary, and E. D. Soper, Student Secretary.

It is expected that about 40 delegates will be present, and as it is necessary that entertainment be provided for the delegates by the local body, we have been requested to ask those who find it convenient to take one or more of the young men to report to Mr. Amos Eckert, Centre Square, at their earliest convenience.

A FORTUNATE INVESTMENT.

Charles Krug, of Pleasant street, Hanover, associated with Louis Mizell, of Gettysburg, in the lumbering business, last Fall purchased a tract of land in Washington county, Md., situated about 12 miles from Hancock and 25 miles from Cumberland, containing 2700 acres, mostly lumber. Messrs. Krug & Company, who run a portable saw mill, were busily engaged sawing and shipping timber when they discovered a bed of coal; the vein, starting at the brow of a mountain, runs both ways under the mountain.

The indications are for plenty of coal on this tract. After shipping several samples away for analysis, all was pronounced first-class anthracite coal. Messrs. Krug & Company at once started to open up the mine, and will work it in the event of their not selling.—*Record.*

WASHINGTON-GETTYSBURG TROLLEY.

At a meeting of City Council of Westminster, Md., Monday evening last an ordinance was passed granting a franchise for the use of the streets to Charles E. Fink and Dr. F. T. Shaw or their assigns for an electric railway. The franchise is granted for forty years, and covers Washington avenue, Green, Church, Main and Bond streets and Pennsylvania avenue. The property is not taxable for 10 years. Provision has been made for the use of the tracks by any other company and the motive power may be anything else than steam. The right to revoke the franchise was reserved in the event that the construction of the road be not begun within one year. It is rumored that this will be part of the Washington and Gettysburg railroad.

The Easy to Feel Good. Countless thousands have found a blessing to the body in Dr. King's New Life Pills, which positively cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Dizziness, Jaundice, Malaria, Fever and Ague and all Liver and Stomach troubles. Purely vegetable; never gripe or weaken. Only 25c at S. J. Codori's drug store.

Special Sale in wall paper next Saturday. Bring size of room with you.
a9.3t Harry Gilbert,
Opposite Eagle Hotel.

Notice.—For catalogue and prices of the American Steel and Wire Company's Fences apply to
J. P. Bigham,
a9.2t* Greenmount, Pa.

For Rent—A desirable 8-room house on Carlisle St., Gettysburg, with all modern conveniences. Apply to
m26.tf John M. Blocher.

Private Sale.—A good house and 11 acres of land; full stock of Groceries Queensware, Drugs and Spices, Store Fixtures, large platform scales, Fairbanks. Will close out. E. Spangler,
m12.3m* Arendtsville, Pa.

DEATHS.

Thomas A. Warren.

At his home on Chambersburg street last evening Thomas A. Warren, a well known and highly respected citizen, departed this life after a few weeks' illness of pneumonia, aged 70 years, 6 months and 11 days.

Mr. Warren was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church for over 50 years and at the time of his death was a Trustee, Steward and Class Leader in the church. In his death the church will suffer a great loss.

He is survived by his wife and the following children: George, of Frederick, Md.; Mrs. G. F. Cress and Thad. S., of this place; Mrs. Wm. Harrison, of Philadelphia; Mrs. J. J. Hill, of Buffalo, N. Y., and Mrs. G. J. M. Keiner, of New York. Two brothers, Rev. George Warren, of Tyrone, Pa., and Morgan Warren, of Lebanon, also survive him.

Friends will meet at the house at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, after which the body will be taken to the Methodist Episcopal church, where services will be held, Rev. V. T. Rue officiating; interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mrs. Ida B. Reen.

Mrs. Ida B., wife of Rev. George H. Reen, died at her home in Columbia on Wednesday, after a lingering illness from consumption, aged 36 years.

She is survived by her husband and two children, Gilbert and Sarah. Her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert, two brothers and one sister, William D., Calvin K. and Miss Kate, of this place, and another sister, Mrs. Mary L. Suesserott, of Chambersburg, also survive her.

Services were held in the church at Columbia Friday morning, after which the body was brought here and taken to the home of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert, from where burial took place Saturday afternoon at 1.30 p. m., Rev. Dr. J. W. Richard and Rev. A. R. Steck officiating; interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

The pall bearers were Hon. S. McC. Swope, G. H. Buehler, H. C. Hartley, H. C. Picking, George Stallsmith and C. A. Trostle.

A large number of friends and relatives from Philadelphia, Columbia, Chambersburg, Newport, New Franklin and Harrisburg were present.

Mrs. Sophia H. Hann.

Mrs. Sophia H., widow of ex-Sheriff Philip Hann, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Walter, in this place, early Saturday morning of the infirmities of advanced age, aged about 81 years.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Wm. Walter, and two sons, Rev. Joseph H. Hann, S. J., of Washington, and James E. Hann, of Chicago.

Services were held in St. Francis Xavier church at 9 o'clock this morning, Rev. Father T. J Crotty officiating; interment in Xavier Cemetery.

George B. Stover.

At the home of his son-in-law, John Sachs, in Cumberland township, last evening week, George B. Stover departed this life at the advanced age of 87 years and 5 months.

The deceased is survived by 4 children as follows: Mrs. Stephen Wible, of this place; Mrs. John Sachs and Miss Lizzie Stover, of Cumberland township, and M. F. Stover, of Straban township.

Funeral services were held at the house Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. A. R. Steck officiating; interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. George W. Rowe, an aged, well-known and highly respected citizen of Emmitsburg, died at his home in that place, last Thursday night, in the eighty-fourth year of his age.

For many years he was engaged in the mercantile business in that place, and did a large and successful business. It was only after he became afflicted that he retired from the pursuits of an active business career.

The deceased is survived by his wife and the following children: Eugene L. Rowe, Esq., Mr. J. Henry Rowe and Miss Belle Rowe, of Emmitsburg; George Payson Rowe, Esq., of St. Joseph, Mo., and Mrs. S. A. Hartman, of Baltimore.

LECTURE BY COL. L. F. COPELAND.

The Y. M. C. A. Entertainment Committee offers as the last number in its course a lecture by Col. L. F. Copeland next Saturday evening, April 20. Col. Copeland is generally considered the most popular lecturer in America. He is a lawyer by profession, but devotes all his time to the platform. He has more calls to lecture than he can fill and is recalled more time to the same places than any other American lecturer. He is a member of Grace church and also of the Y. M. C. A., of Harrisburg, and frequently officiates in the pulpits of the city to the delight of all. The chart will be open Thursday morning, April 18. Admission 25 and 35 cents. From the many extracts we clip the following:

Department Public Instruction,
Harrisburg, Pa.

I have known Col. L. F. Copeland intimately for twenty years. I have heard him lecture at least fifty times before County Teachers' Institutes and other lecture audiences, and most heartily endorse him, not only as one of the most eloquent of lecturers, but also as a genial, high-minded and worthy gentleman. I consider him the leading lecturer of America.
Henry Houck,
Deputy State Supt. of Public Instruction, Pennsylvania.

His eloquence is unsurpassed and his humor irresistible.—*New York World.*

Although the Unity Club has had a continuous existence of sixteen years, it was cheerfully agreed that Col. Copeland's lecture, as well as himself, was the most valuable and enjoyable ever given from its platform, which has been occupied, at regular intervals, by the greatest men of two hemispheres.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

Jon Coulen's Have Stood In if he had Itching Piles. They're terribly annoying; but Bucklen's Arnica Salve will cure the worst case of piles on earth. It has cured thousands. For Injuries, Pains or bodily Eruptions it's the best salve in the world. Price 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by S. J. Codori.

For 30 Days Only.—Bring the size of your rooms with you and you will get the greatest bargains that have ever been given in wall paper. I have the largest stock that was ever in Gettysburg and the variety is great.
Harry Gilbert,
a2.3t Opposite Eagle Hotel.

The People's Cash Store will receive fresh vegetables, consisting of radishes, onions, tomatoes, kale, oyster plants, carrots, parsnips, lettuce, etc., from the city markets every Wednesday and Saturday. A full line of oranges. j29.tf

Jell-O, The New Dessert,
pleases all the family. Four Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cts. Try it to-day.

For Rent.—The second and third floors of the Blocher Ware-house building, formerly the O. H. Buehler property. Alterations will be made to suit the renters. The second story has been occupied during the past two years by the Gospel Workers. Apply to
J. O. Blocher.
a2.4t

For Rent—Lilly's Roller Mill, near Mt. Rock. Good water power and a good section of Adams county, Pa. Apply to C. S. Bubb, on the premises, or Wm. McSherry, Attorney-at-Law, Gettysburg, Pa.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Last Tuesday morning, while operating one of N. Musselman's saw mills, at Hunterstown, Harvey Penx, of near town, had the misfortune of having his left hand caught by the saw, nearly severing the four fingers from the palm. He was brought to town in the afternoon and taken to the office of Dr. Stewart, who, assisted by Drs. J. B. Scott and K. F. Tipton, amputated the fingers.

Among the recent pensions granted are the following: Jacob Livingston, York Springs, $6; James O. Mickley, Virginia Mills, $6.

"Mesmates," a beautiful three-act drama, was produced last Tuesday evening in Miller's Hall, New Oxford, for the benefit of the New Oxford Fire Company, under the management of Prof. H. O. Himes. It was a complete success in every way, the play being well rendered and the house crowded. About $100 was realized, which will be invested in new uniforms for the firemen.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather, the Communion in the Reformed Church at Fairfield was postponed from April 14th to April 28th at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Rev. J. B. Gulney and family have again taken up their residence at Cold Springs, this county. Rev. Gulney will take charge of the Lutheran missions at White Rock and Cold Springs, having been asked by the president of the West Pennsylvania synod to again assume charge of the work which he had been carrying on so successfully for several years. With the request from the president was a petition signed by a large number of members of the two missions asking for his return.

The East Berlin Town Council has passed an ordinance taxing all telegraph and telephone polls, to be erected hereafter, 50 cents a year.

S. L. Johns, McSherrystown, has acquired by purchase a controlling interest in the Penn Flour Milling Co., of Hanover. Mr. Johns' object is the consolidation of the Penn flouring mills with the other milling properties recently acquired by the Eastern Milling and Export Co., of Philadelphia, of which the Hanover Milling and Manufacturing Co., is already a part.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kate Reidey, aunt of the bride, Hanover. The contracting parties were G. J. Halter, a well-known iron broker, of York, and Miss Nellie V. Emig, the accomplished daughter of Charles Emig, of Eichelberger street, a popular and widely known passenger conductor of the W. M. R. R. Company.

J. C. Noaker, of Idaville, has purchased the Mrs. Ada Noaker property in Carlisle.

Jamer Miller, of Hanover, has sold his property in Berwick township, to John R. Bittinger and Prof. Eberly, on private terms.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Charles L. Kuhns, of Taneytown, to Miss Mary M. Weaver, of Littlestown, in St. Aloysius church, Littlestown, on Wednesday morning, April 24th.

S. H. Duncan, wife and son, Paul, of Abbottstown, left last Tuesday for Linder, Illinois, where they will make their future home.

Franklin County Commissioners have appointed ten fire detectives for Franklin county, whose duty it shall be to ferret out and get evidence against persons who cause forest fires in the county. The men are under salary, it is stated.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Hanover Savings Fund Society Saturday morning, John J. Schmidt, of Hanover, was elected as a member of the Board, to succeed the late Hon. John L. Jenkins.

Funeral of Jesse Kohler.

The burial of the remains of Jesse Kohler took place last Tuesday morning from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. Emory Bair, where services were held by Rev. Melanchton Coover, after which the funeral proceeded to the W. M. Depot, where a special car was provided to convey the funeral party to Hanover.

On arrival there the funeral proceeded to Mt. Olivet cemetery, where interment was made, Rev. C. M. Stock officiating. The pall bearers were Hon. William McClean, William McSherry, Esq., David Troxel, H. T. Weaver, S. S. Neely, Esq., and William P. Quimby, Esq.

The Blue Label League.

The annual convention of the Blue Label League of Pennsylvania will be held in McSherrystown, April 22. The following unions will be represented at said convention: Erie, Corry, Warren, Lock Haven, Williamsport, Harrisburg, York, Lancaster, Ephrata, Lincoln, Reading, Hazelton, Pottsville, Schlerville, Quakertown, Philadelphia, Wilkesburro, Meadville, Scranton, Easton, Denver, Akron, Honesdale, Richlaud, Center, Olyphant, Carbondale

George P. Allen, of York, is the president of the Blue Label League of Pennsylvania.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers, 10cts

Special Sale in Wall Paper next Saturday. Bring size of room with you.
a9.3t Harry Gilbert,
Opposite Eagle Hotel.

Tax Notice.—For sixty days from date of Cumberland township duplicate, March 20th, there will be a reduction of 5 per cent.
a9.3t A. Calvin Basehoar,
Collector.

Potatoes, Cheap.—A car-load of New York Potatoes arrived: These potatoes are of superior quality and are unsurpassed for all purposes. Parties desiring to be supplied will do well by calling at
G. W. Stringer's Grocery,
a9.4t South Washington street.

Special Sale in Wall Paper next Saturday. Bring size of room with you.
a9.3t Harry Gilbert,
Opposite Eagle Hotel.

MARRIAGES.

Ripple—Fiegel.—April 11, at the home of the bride's parents, Railroad street, this place, by Rev. V. T. Rue, Mr. George G. Ripple, of Waynesboro, to Miss

The Compiler.

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CORN PLANTING.

NO BRANCH OF FARMING PAYS BETTER THAN CORN CULTURE ALWAYS WORTH DOING WELL.

Seeding time is here and the thoughtful farmer has mapped out and planned the work for the coming season. He most successful man in business is he who puts the best and most thoughts into his business. So with the farmer. The day for thoughtless shiftless farming is past. The preparing of the soil for seed is most important in the growing of a crop, also the selection of good seed free from weed seed that which if sown will produce the most bushels of the best quality. The growing of a good crop of corn is a work that requires our best efforts and yet there is no other branch of farming that pays better. The field should be free from all weeds and trash in order that good cultivation may be given the soil thoroughly stirred and pulverized. Where the corn is checkrowed, manual labor can be lessened. Where the ground is in good condition to go over the ground with a cultivator after the plowing has been done, to kill those weeds that have sprouted. It pays to plant good seed, whether the seed has been saved in the fall or during the time of taken from the crib, one should be sure it will grow. A good stand of corn depends largely on the vitality of the seed. Seed corn should be well tested before it is planted. There seems to be a difference of opinion among farmers as to whether deep or shallow cultivation is best. One should be governed to some extent by the conditions. On thin soil, my experience has taught me to cultivate deep while on soil that is rich and fairly free from weeds I use shallow cultivation. The most important thing is to keep the ground well stirred and the weeds down. I don't think there can be much improvement on the common old-fashioned cultivator as to implements to be used in plowing corn for the first plowing I like the spring tooth or "eagle claw," they throw the fresh dirt and one can get up close to the small corn and cover up all weeds and grass that have come up. The row ridges not ridged up to any extent. While I am not an advocate of ridging corn naturally the row will be ridged as plowing continues. Where the listing method is used [illegible] cream. No farmer can be successful in [illegible] unless conditions are not always so. On land that is subject to wash where the water is liable to run in the row listing corn is to best. On gently rolling land, [illegible]